| Resource | Inputs | Outputs | Outcomes | Impacts |
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| MT Schools OverDrive | | Number of schools added (168); number of students served (27,053); number of items purchased (12,861); number of annual checkouts (129,983) | Expanded access to e-content for students; average holds wait time was 15 days; 213% increase in student user registration over two years; 162% increase in circulation over two years Expanded access to content: Circulation increased over the past year by 46% and now accounts for 5% of total checkouts from MontanaLibrary2Go. The | What is valuable about K-12 ebooks program? Responses: 24/7 access to quality reading materials; supplemental access to texts when print is unavailable; Provides uninterrupted access to library materials all summer long, which helps combat summer slide in reading levels; teachers are able to lease small class sets for group reading; no lost books or overdue fines; students at lower literacy levels can discretely read assigned lower literacy level titles without feeling ashamed because people can't see what book they are reading on their device; audiobooks extend reading opportunities to students who do not like reading text; the collection is designed for K-12 libraries by K-12 curriculum experts and the selections are made for librarians so that they can spend that time teaching students instead. Without help from the State, the program would be cost-prohibitive for small schools. Strengthen the institutional capacity of museums, libraries, and related organizations to respond to community needs quickly, effectively, efficiently, and responsibly; Increase the ability of museums, libraries, and related organizations to deliver programs and services that contribute to the well-being of families, groups, and individuals of all cultural and |
| OverDrive Magazines READsquared | | Number of libraries served (6); number of programs (11 different reading programs throughout the year); number of patrons served (over 2,000 | Expanded and improved upon learning and library program opportunities | Strengthen the institutional capacity of museums, libraries, and related organizations to respond to community needs quickly, effectively, efficiently, and responsibly; Increase the ability of museums, libraries, and related organizations to deliver programs and services that contribute to the well-being of families, groups, and individuals of all cultural and socioeconomic backgrounds. (IMLS intended impacts of ARPA) |